

Suffolk & Essex Coast & Heaths National Landscape Sustainable Development Fund



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Coast & Heaths
National
Landscape

Projects awarded funding 2025-26

7 Projects = total awarded £21,777

1 RSPB

Awarded £4,550

Hollesley Marshes – Lagoon Rejuvenation Project

This grant will support work to improve the Hollesley Marshes lagoon for breeding waders and wintering wildfowl by reshaping underwater areas and islands, with volunteer support and alignment with the Suffolk Wader Strategy

2 Creative Curve

Awarded £1,000

Walking with Weeds

To run a series of creative workshops and walks based on the North Warren nature reserve and Common 'The Fens' to demonstrate the importance of this unique environment, to explain the flora and fauna to be found here and to encourage the care and preservation of this precious environment by enhancing public enjoyment and information about the reserve.

3 Dunwich Museum

Awarded £3,987

Next Steps - Environment

To develop our program of environmental activities, with a focus on the beach, coastal change, geology, and biodiversity in our heritage sites.

4 Art Branches CIC

Awarded £4,350

'Colours of the Landscape', Orford

Engaging a diverse range of people in the natural and cultural heritage of the National Landscape at Orford, particularly those in 'at risk' and 'hard-to-reach' categories, by enabling them to fresh discover creative resources available to them.

5 RSPB Stour Estuary

Awarded £3,155

RSPB Stour Woods accessible gates

This grant supports work to install radar key accessible gates at RSPB Stour Wood carpark to allow more people to visit the reserve and enjoy the beautiful woodland setting.

6 Ipswich Borough Council

Awarded £ 1,925

Future proofing of Veteran trees in Orwell country park

Orwell Country parking has some famous veteran trees, many of which are historic oak pollards. This grant supports getting the veteran trees surveyed by a specialist and then follow up any remedial works.

7 Ipswich Borough Council

Awarded £1,810

Heathland Restoration at Pond Hall Farm

Archaeological survey of Pond Hall Farm heathland restoration site. Restoration of ex-arable farmland into Heathland through the use of soil inversion and the sowing of locally collected heather seed and cuttings (Pipers Vale).